

DIARY NOTESExecutive Director-Comptroller

23 November 1965

1. Jack Earman talked with me about his survey of intelligence requirements and asked what I thought about having [redacted] participate as a member of the survey team. I told Jack that I thought Hugh would be excellent for this chore but encouraged him to get someone knowledgeable in the scientific and technical fields in addition.

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2. I telephoned [redacted] Chief of Staff of DIA, to thank him for putting on [redacted] last week.

3. Eloise Page called to say that Dr. John Anschutz, the Rector of Christ Episcopal Church, would conduct a Protestant Christmas service at the Agency on 21 December. I agreed to host a luncheon for him and asked her to arrange the guest list.

4. Hank Knoche and I met with [redacted] to discuss several subjects.

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a. I told [redacted] that Mr. Helms had indicated recently that he thought [redacted] should assume the position of Assistant to the Director on or about 1 January 1966.

b. We also discussed [redacted] recent paper on speeches and publications by CIA employees. I told him that I did not want to start with the assumption that the Director's recent notice on this subject was the absolute gospel. I asked him to do some research in depth on this subject and to come up with a paper on the pros and cons of "publish" or "no publish." Specifically, I asked him to talk to a number of people in DD/I, including [redacted] Abbot Smith, [redacted] Paul Borel, and Ray Cline, and then to talk with me again before writing his paper.

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6. Dick Helms advised me that the National Security Industrial Association, of which Trapper Drum is president, is planning a reception in honor of Admiral Raborn at the Mayflower Hotel on Tuesday, 14 December. We agreed on a list of about ten individuals who might be invited which will be given to Mr. Drum.

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25X1 7. I briefed [redacted] on my conversation a few days ago  
25X1 with [redacted] about his career. I am afraid this was not too well  
25X1 received. [redacted] seemed to think that Jack was being mistreated  
25X1 and launched into a long discussion of Agency morale. I attempted  
to explain to [redacted] that he completely misunderstood our intentions  
and that we were attempting to reorient Jack's career into some area  
in which he would have a brighter future than it appears he will have  
if he remains in his present position.

8. Dick Helms advised me that George McManus has been selected to replace Walt Elder. I expressed my doubt that Walt's job today is as important as the one George has now but did not offer any objection to his appointment.

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